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AMENDMENT

Commission for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Non-final Office Action mailed August 9, 2007. Enclosed is a petition for a one-month extension of time, so the period for response runs to and includes, December 10, 2007. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments being on page 11 of this paper.